



Wighton Harpist - Lunchtime Series

Simon Chadwick explores the early Gaelic harp or clàrsach. Discover old and neglected Gaelic harp music from Ireland and Scotland, much of it preserved in the books of the Wighton Collection. Hear replicas of medieval and 18th century Irish and Scottish harps, strung with brass, silver and gold wire

Wednesday 20th December 2006, 1.15 - 1.45pm

Lunchtime Recital. Take a break from the festive frenzy with a selection of old Irish and Scottish harp music. This recital will highlight the Irish repertory and will feature a new replica of the 18th century "Downhill" harp.

Wednesday 17th January 2007, 1.15 - 1.45 pm

Lunchtime Recital. Old Scottish Gaelic harp music played on a replica of the medieval "Queen Mary" clàrsach.

Wednesday 21st February 2007, 1.15 - 1.45 pm

Presentation/demonstration of different historical harps, and an explanation of the various repertories played on them.

Saturday 24th March 2007, 11am - 4.30 pm

Wighton harp day. All-day series of concerts, demonstrations and hands-on workshops.

All events are held in the Wighton Heritage Centre, Dundee Central Library, Wellgate, Dundee, DD1 1DB. Admittance Free.

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